Notice of Proposed Sole Source Procurement

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Due Date for 5:00 pm on Comments: October 15, 2004

The Utah Procurement Code provides that a procurement may be made without competition when there is only one source for the required supply or service. Therefore, a "sole source" procurement is justified if there is only one product or service that can reasonably meet the state's need and there is only one vendor who can provide the product or service.

The Division of Purchasing has received a request to make the following sole source procurement.

Requesting Agency:

Utah Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Air Quality

Product and/or service to be purchased:

Thermo Environmental Model 146c microprocessor Based Multigas Calibrator, Gas Phase Tritration, Thermo Environmental Model 111 Zero Air Supply

Proposed Sole Source Supplier:

Thermo Environmental Instruments C/O Rust Automation

Sole Source Justification:

Requested instrument is used by Idaho DEQ for NH3 monitoring quality assurance. Time restraints preclude our ability to research and test other sources of calibration equipment. NH3 is a difficult gas to dilute without contamination. System needs to be up and running by Dec. 2004. The existing equipment that this purchase must be compatible with is a SO2 monitor, NO, NO2, NOX, NH3.

If for any reason any party does not agree with the proposed sole source procurement, please email **BRENDA VELDEVERE** in the Utah Division of Purchasing at **bveldevere@utah.gov** prior to the "Due Date for Comments" indicated above.